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In re the Application of

Hideo FUNAYAMA et al.

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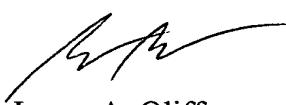
ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.27(c), entitlement to Small Entity Status is hereby asserted. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Patent Office records be marked to indicate that Applicants are entitled to Small Entity Status, and that Small Entity fees be accepted henceforth in this patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DECLARATION**

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a fully executed Substitute Declaration of the Inventors.

Entry of this document should resolve any informalities in the original Declaration.

It is respectfully submitted that no additional fees are required for the substitute Declaration. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee associated with this communication to deposit account number 15-0461.

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